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Southern District of Texas
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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

**JESUS JAIMES MERLAN,
Defendant.**

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CRIMINAL No. 4:22-CR- 352

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

Count One

On or about May 11, 2022, in the Houston Division of the Southern District of Texas, the
defendant, **JESUS JAIMES MERLAN,**

willfully and by means of driving and crashing a vehicle into the signage fixture on the F.B.I.
premises did injure and attempt to injure and did commit a depredation against property of the
United States and of any department or agency thereof at the F.B.I. premises, 1 Justice drive,
Houston, Texas, which had been manufactured and constructed for the United States and any
department or agency thereof at the F.B.I. premises, 1 Justice Drive, Houston, Texas, specifically
the signage, glass, concrete, masonry, metal, conduit, brackets, and electrical fixtures with
resulting damage in excess of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, § 1361.

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FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY

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